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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is responsive to the Official Action mailed September 18, 2006 (Paper No. 20060912), the date of response to which has been extended three months up to and including March 19, 2007 (March 18, 2007 falling on a Sunday), in view of the attached three-month extension of time petition and petition fee.

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AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE:

Please amend the title as follows:

<u>A</u> SWITCHABLE COUPLING FOR CONTROLLABLY COUPLING AT LEAST TWO

UNPOLARIZED LIGHT INPUTS